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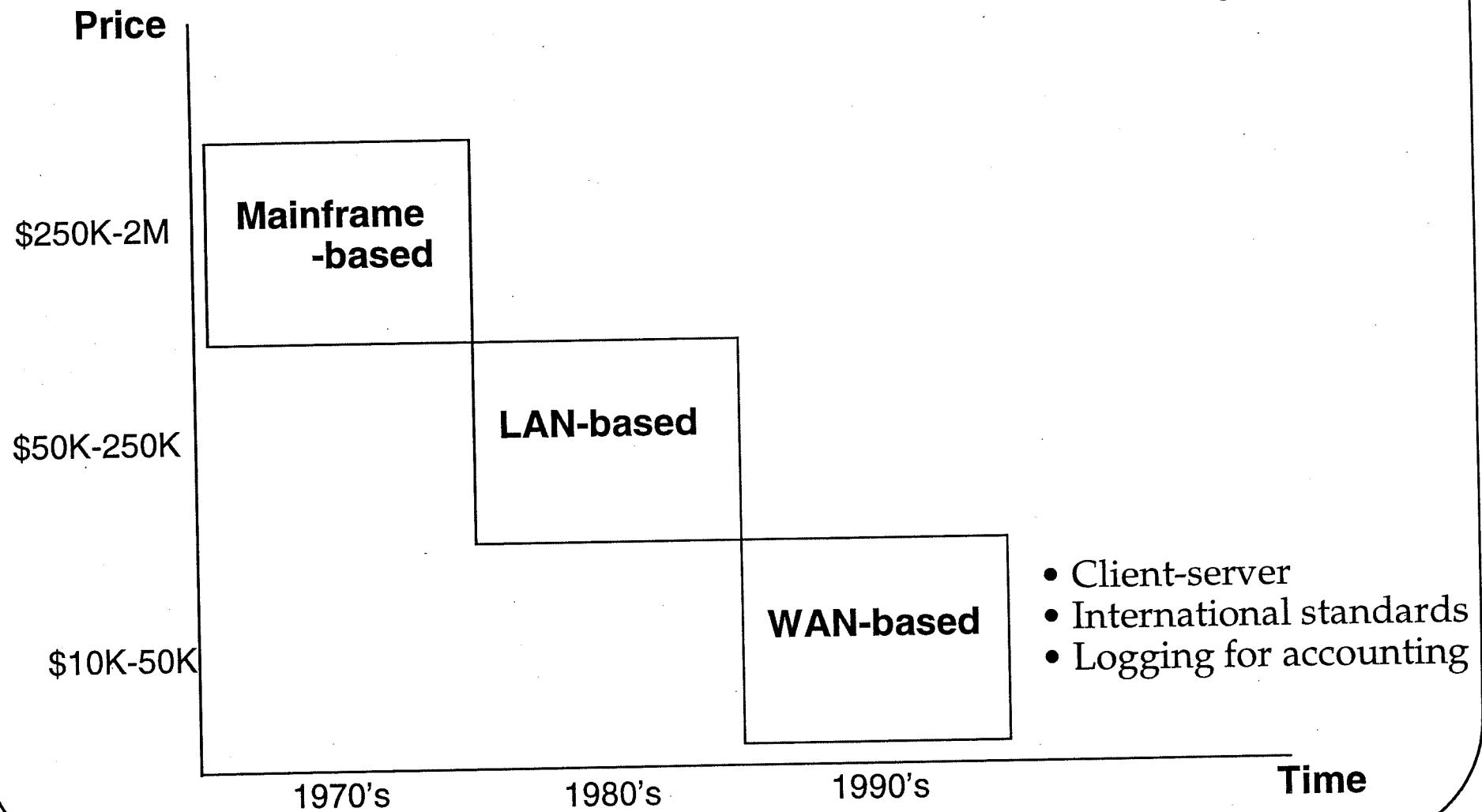
Wide Area Information Servers: Personal + Corporate + Published Information

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Wide Area Information Servers

Electronic Information Delivery



WAIS Navigation

- Optimized for Wide Area Networks
- Natural Language with Relevance Feedback
- Personal/enterprise/wide area Information
- Interactive search → Agents

WAIS on Internet



- Over 30,000 users on the Internet
- Users in 28 Countries: Mexico, Singapore, Finland, Australia, ...
- 400 Databases served from 12 Countries: Norway, Canada, UK, ...
New database every day.

WAIS at Perot Systems

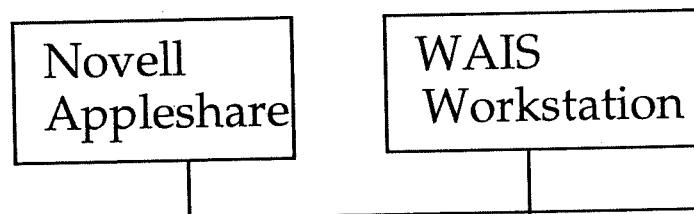
- Resumes
- Contracts and Proposals
- Phone book
- Company policies
- CDROM Information on WAIS
- Access to the Internet

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WAIS Inc Products

WAIS Workstation for Unix

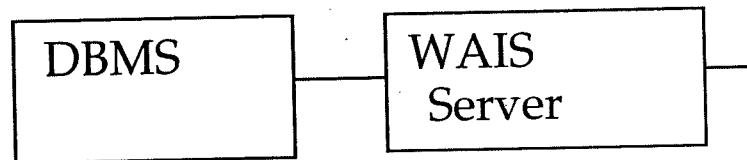
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LAN and Internet

WAIS Server for Unix

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Internet

Dial-up

Other networks

Services and Training

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Macintosh Setup for WAIS

- Internet Connection (optional)
- Unix Machine for Server
- Mac software free on Internet (from wais.com)
- Mac with:
 - 2MB, System 6+
 - MacTCP from APDA
- For powerbooks:
 - Appletalk Remote Access (or PPP or SLIP)

Conclusion

- WAN technology can be leveraged today
- Client-server technology on a global scale
- WAIS is access to semi-structured and unstructured information